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50,000 JFK documents shed little new light

Nearly 50,000 documents released Tuesday by the National Archives shed little new light on the assassination of President Kennedy, officials said. Among the material: photos of the bloodstained limousine and autopsy X-rays of Kennedy's skull. About 1 million documents have been released under 1992 legislation requiring federal agencies to make public all records relating to the assassination. At least 100,000 CIA documents and more than 100 boxes of FBI material remain sealed, awaiting official review.

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SPECTER FOR PRESIDENT? Add the name of Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., to the list of potential candidates for the 1996 Republican presidential nomination. Specter, 64, a moderate who can raise blg money in the Jewish community, was in New Hampshire last Friday and Saturday. He spoke at Dartmouth College, met with the editorial board of the Manchester Union Leader, addressed Young Republicans and talked health reform. — Richard Benedetto